

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Pakenham

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There were just under 1,200 cattle penned for the first sale of 2017 with a full field of buyers present and operating in a mixed but mostly dearer market compared to the last sale of 2016. Quality was good with most cattle carrying plenty of weight and condition. The 400 vealers averaged close to firm with a large proportion purchased to feed on and most feeder lots selling at dearer prices. The yearling trade cattle gained 10c/kg for most. Quality was very good in the grown steers and bullocks and strong competition pushed prices up 20c to 25c/kg. Heavy weight crossbred manufacturing steers improved slightly and a few pens of Friesians sold to strong demand.

Heavy weight vealers suited to butcher orders sold from 313c to 362c/kg. Yearling trade steers made between 315c and 355c/kg. Yearling heifers to the trade sold between 294c and 325c/kg. Feeder steers made from 310c to 362c/kg.

Grown steers sold from 305c to 337c/kg. Bullocks made between 310c and 329c/kg. Heavy weight Friesian manufacturing steers sold between 270c and 292c with the crossbred portion between 272c and 310c/kg.

Category Weight	Sale Prefix	Muscle Score	Fat Score	Head	Live Weight c/kg				Estimated Carcase Weight c/kg			Estimated \$/Head		
					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
Vealer Steer														
200-280	FD	B	2	1	330.6	- 330.6	330.6	N/Q	-	-	-	893	- 893	893
		C	2	1	325.0	- 325.0	325.0	N/Q	602	- 602	602	780	- 780	780
	FD	C	2	7	311.6	- 350.0	333.1	N/Q	-	-	-	841	- 938	908
	RS	C	2	2	318.6	- 318.6	318.6	N/Q	-	-	-	828	- 828	828
	RS	C	3	2	352.6	- 352.6	352.6	N/Q	-	-	-	987	- 987	987
280-330	FD	B	2	1	335.0	- 335.0	335.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1089	- 1089	1089
		B	2	1	335.6	- 335.6	335.6	N/Q	599	- 599	599	1107	- 1107	1107
		B	3	11	336.6	- 358.0	350.2	N/Q	591	- 617	605	1111	- 1146	1137
	FD	B	3	3	334.6	- 334.6	334.6	N/Q	-	-	-	1004	- 1004	1004
	FD	C	2	3	325.0	- 332.0	329.7	N/Q	-	-	-	1040	- 1062	1055
	FD	C	3	7	315.0	- 340.0	335.4	N/Q	-	-	-	965	- 1122	1083
	C	3	5	330.0	- 349.6	336.8	N/Q	598	- 624	606	990	- 1119	1085	
330+	A	2	1	321.6	- 321.6	321.6	N/Q	503	- 503	503	1093	- 1093	1093	
		B	2	5	334.6	- 357.6	353.0	N/Q	587	- 596	594	1205	- 1323	1299
	FD	B	2	12	335.0	- 354.6	349.4	N/Q	-	-	-	1206	- 1275	1219
	FD	B	3	28	335.0	- 361.6	354.6	N/Q	-	-	-	1156	- 1266	1249
	B	3	36	326.6	- 362.0	347.8	N/Q	573	- 619	604	1173	- 1496	1260	
	FD	C	2	20	328.0	- 352.2	337.4	N/Q	-	-	-	1115	- 1210	1177
	FD	C	3	27	329.6	- 350.6	341.8	N/Q	-	-	-	1129	- 1278	1225
	C	3	18	328.0	- 345.0	333.7	N/Q	586	- 627	598	1122	- 1326	1217	
				191	311.6	362.0		503	627		780	1496		
Vealer Heifer														
200-280	B	2	1	311.6	- 311.6	311.6	N/Q	556	- 556	556	810	- 810	810	
		RS	B	2	1	360.0	- 360.0	360.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1008	- 1008
	FD	C	2	1	325.0	- 325.0	325.0	N/Q	-	-	-	910	- 910	910
		C	2	3	333.6	- 340.0	336.2	N/Q	607	- 609	608	737	- 918	857
		C	3	6	331.6	- 331.6	331.6	N/Q	603	- 603	603	928	- 928	928

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		D	3	1	315.0	- 315.0	315.0	N/Q	583	- 583	583	819	- 819	819
280-330	FD	B	2	10	340.0	- 340.0	340.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1105	- 1105	1105
		B	3	19	337.2	- 350.0	341.2	N/Q	602	- 603	603	1113	- 1138	1121
		C	2	2	328.6	- 335.6	332.1	N/Q	609	- 622	615	973	- 1052	1012
	FD	C	2	1	322.0	- 322.0	322.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1030	- 1030	1030
	RS	C	2	17	336.6	- 337.6	337.3	N/Q	-	-	-	1013	- 1094	1037
	RS	C	3	2	326.2	- 326.2	326.2	N/Q	-	-	-	1076	- 1076	1076
	FD	C	3	2	340.0	- 340.0	340.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1122	- 1122	1122
		C	3	48	324.2	- 342.6	330.1	N/Q	580	- 615	597	975	- 1102	1048
		D	3	2	316.0	- 316.0	316.0	N/Q	585	- 585	585	1011	- 1011	1011
330+	FD	D	3	13	318.0	- 318.0	318.0	N/Q	-	-	-	954	- 954	954
		B	2	10	355.0	- 355.0	355.0	N/Q	612	- 612	612	1207	- 1207	1207
		B	3	4	336.0	- 350.0	339.5	N/Q	590	- 603	593	1210	- 1330	1240
		C	2	1	325.6	- 325.6	325.6	N/Q	603	- 603	603	1123	- 1123	1123
	RS	C	3	5	340.0	- 340.0	340.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1258	- 1258	1258
		C	3	16	312.6	- 333.0	325.5	N/Q	568	- 604	586	1074	- 1386	1146
	FD	D	2	1	313.2	- 313.2	313.2	N/Q	-	-	-	1128	- 1128	1128
	FD	D	4	4	328.0	- 328.0	328.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1246	- 1246	1246
				170	311.6	360.0			556	622		737	1386	
Yearling Steer														
280-330	FD	C	2	2	320.0	- 320.0	320.0	N/Q	-	-	-	960	- 960	960
330-400	FD	B	1	2	324.6	- 324.6	324.6	N/Q	-	-	-	1201	- 1201	1201
	FD	B	2	1	340.0	- 340.0	340.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1224	- 1224	1224
		B	3	5	355.0	- 355.0	355.0	N/Q	623	- 623	623	1420	- 1420	1420
		C	2	1	332.0	- 332.0	332.0	N/Q	604	- 604	604	1328	- 1328	1328
	FD	C	2	26	310.0	- 329.6	318.1	N/Q	-	-	-	1126	- 1203	1171
	RS	C	2	17	320.0	- 339.6	328.1	N/Q	-	-	-	1152	- 1280	1262
	FD	C	3	8	326.6	- 340.0	335.2	N/Q	-	-	-	1207	- 1240	1221
		C	3	3	316.0	- 328.0	320.2	N/Q	575	- 586	579	1108	- 1312	1191
400+		C	2	4	310.0	- 340.0	320.0	N/Q	564	- 618	582	1445	- 1600	1536
	RS	C	2	17	305.0	- 316.6	313.5	N/Q	-	-	-	1373	- 1449	1415
		C	3	8	315.0	- 332.0	321.4	N/Q	573	- 604	588	1394	- 1583	1475
				94	305.0	355.0			564	623		960	1600	
Yearling Heifer														
200-280		D	1	1	255.0	- 255.0	255.0	N/Q	510	- 510	510	714	- 714	714
280-330		B	2	2	331.6	- 336.6	334.1	N/Q	592	- 601	597	1010	- 1078	1044
	FD	C	2	1	316.6	- 316.6	316.6	N/Q	-	-	-	1013	- 1013	1013
	FD	C	3	2	320.0	- 320.0	320.0	N/Q	-	-	-	960	- 960	960
	RS	D	2	10	321.6	- 321.6	321.6	N/Q	-	-	-	1061	- 1061	1061
		D	2	1	282.6	- 282.6	282.6	N/Q	544	- 544	544	805	- 805	805
		D	3	3	309.6	- 309.6	309.6	N/Q	573	- 573	573	1022	- 1022	1022
330-400		C	2	15	294.0	- 322.0	297.6	N/Q	555	- 596	561	1127	- 1186	1180
		C	3	4	320.0	- 321.6	320.4	N/Q	582	- 585	583	1120	- 1190	1137
		D	2	1	290.0	- 290.0	290.0	N/Q	547	- 547	547	1160	- 1160	1160

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400+	FD	D	3	13	312.0	- 323.6	312.9	N/Q	-			1123	- 1214	1130
		D	3	46	294.0	- 324.6	310.1	N/Q	546	- 601	580	1000	- 1260	1159
		D	4	1	266.0	- 266.0	266.0	N/Q	493	- 493	493	1064	- 1064	1064
		C	2	3	293.6	- 310.0	301.2	N/Q	544	- 574	558	1275	- 1550	1382
		D	3	41	301.6	- 320.6	311.4	N/Q	559	- 605	577	1339	- 1568	1379
				144	255.0	336.6			493	605		714	1568	
Grown Steer														
500-600	RS	C	2	5	310.0	- 310.0	310.0	N/Q	-			1612	- 1612	1612
	FD	C	2	7	314.2	- 314.2	314.2	N/Q	-			1728	- 1728	1728
		C	3	119	312.0	- 336.6	326.8	N/Q	557	- 608	591	1680	- 1954	1872
		D	3	34	305.0	- 324.0	317.7	N/Q	555	- 600	586	1613	- 1856	1765
600-750		C	3	9	322.6	- 322.6	322.6	N/Q	576	- 576	576	2000	- 2000	2000
		C	4	26	316.6	- 328.6	324.7	N/Q	565	- 589	584	2025	- 2216	2098
	RS	D	3	9	312.2	- 312.2	312.2	N/Q	-			1951	- 1951	1951
		D	3	23	310.0	- 314.6	313.5	N/Q	564	- 574	570	1938	- 2170	2076
				232	305.0	336.6			555	608		1612	2216	
Grown Heifer														
0-540		B	1	1	290.0	- 290.0	290.0	N/Q	527	- 527	527	1102	- 1102	1102
		D	2	13	255.0	- 271.6	265.4	N/Q	531	- 543	539	1020	- 1290	1197
		D	3	28	270.0	- 306.6	289.4	N/Q	519	- 597	558	1105	- 1594	1306
540+		C	3	1	297.6	- 297.6	297.6	N/Q	551	- 551	551	1637	- 1637	1637
		C	4	1	276.6	- 276.6	276.6	N/Q	494	- 494	494	2144	- 2144	2144
	DA	D	2	5	260.0	- 260.0	260.0	N/Q	531	- 531	531	1430	- 1430	1430
		D	2	6	270.0	- 270.0	270.0	N/Q	540	- 540	540	1485	- 1485	1485
		D	3	9	275.0	- 285.0	281.6	N/Q	527	- 548	537	1540	- 1853	1708
		D	4	1	280.0	- 280.0	280.0	N/Q	519	- 519	519	1568	- 1568	1568
		D	5	3	255.6	- 255.6	255.6	N/Q	473	- 473	473	1534	- 1534	1534
				68	255.0	306.6			473	597		1020	2144	
Manufacturing Steer														
0-540		C	3	7	316.0	- 316.0	316.0	N/Q	575	- 575	575	1706	- 1706	1706
	DA	D	1	28	246.0	- 268.6	262.1	N/Q	492	- 537	524	1082	- 1276	1226
	DA	D	2	3	280.0	- 280.0	280.0	N/Q	539	- 539	539	1400	- 1400	1400
		D	2	17	267.6	- 275.0	269.3	N/Q	511	- 529	519	1265	- 1421	1396
		D	3	1	301.6	- 301.6	301.6	N/Q	559	- 559	559	1101	- 1101	1101
	FD	D	3	11	306.0	- 306.0	306.0	N/Q	-			1346	- 1346	1346
540+		C	3	2	302.6	- 310.0	306.3	N/Q	540	- 564	552	1736	- 1967	1851
	DA	D	2	19	270.0	- 291.6	278.1	N/Q	519	- 550	538	1581	- 1750	1621
		D	2	2	272.0	- 287.2	279.6	N/Q	513	- 542	528	1564	- 1939	1751
		D	3	22	280.0	- 308.0	296.4	N/Q	528	- 570	553	1540	- 2175	2075
		D	4	1	300.0	- 300.0	300.0	N/Q	546	- 546	546	2250	- 2250	2250
				113	246.0	316.0			492	575		1082	2250	

Abbreviations

CATTLE FD: Feeder RS: Restocker GF: Grainfed DA: Dairy PC: Pastoral Cattle SHEEP & LAMB RS: Restocker MR: Merino RM: Restocker Merino 1X: 1st Cross
FD: Feeder DP: Dorper

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